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In re Application of : **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**
Jay RUBINSTEIN and Blake WILSON : **UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(1)

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Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated June 13, 2002 for one (1) month from **September 13, 2002 to October 13, 2002.**

A check including the amount for the extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) is enclosed. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 16-0607.

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